EXECUTIVE ORDERS

- (1) The Transition Team is composed of 7 members appointed by the Governor. Of the members, the Transition Team shall include:
 - (a) The Governor's Appointments Secretary;
 - (b) One member of the House of Delegates;
 - (c) One member of the Senate of Maryland; and.
- (d) Four members who shall represent the general public.
- (2) The Governor shall appoint the Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson of the Transition Team.
- (3) The Governor may remove any member of the Transition Team for any cause adversely affecting the member's ability or willingness to perform his or her duties.
- (4) In the event of a vacancy, the Governor shall appoint a successor for the remainder of the life of the Transition Team.
- (5) A majority of the Transition Team shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of any business. The Transition Team may adopt such other procedures necessary to ensure the orderly transaction of business.
- (6) The members of the Transition Team may not receive compensation for their services. The members may be reimbursed for their reasonable expenses incurred in the performance of their duties, in accordance with the standard travel regulations, and as provided in the State budget.
- (7) The Chairperson of the Transition Team may secure the services of staff. It is expected that such staff will have sufficient academic standing so as to bring broad experience to the task.
- C. Duties and Responsibilities. The Transition Team shall:
- (1) Identify and recruit the most qualified and capable candidates for the Maryland Higher Education Commission and the Board of Regents of the University of Maryland System for inclusion on a list of nominations to be submitted to the Governor;
- (2) Seek candidates of demonstrated achievement, and recognize the diversity of the population of the State;
- (3) Include on the list submitted to the Governor at least three names for each position to be filled on both the